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Wheel Lock !

Traffic Police plan four hour parking time limit and wheel locking of cars to stop shop-keepers on Devaraja Urs Road from hogging parking space meant for public

Fact box

- Total length of Devaraja Urs Road - 900 mts
- Total number of shops - 315
- Car parking slots - 230
- Car parking occupied by traders - 92

[Source: Mysuru City Police]

Mysuru, Dec.22 (RK&SSV)- Be prepared for the wheel lock of your car and pay fine if you are caught by the cops for parking your four-wheeler for more than four hours on D. Devaraja Urs Road in city.

This is the plan of Mysuru Traffic Police in the wake of complaints from the general public that the shop-keepers would park their vehicles for the whole day due to which they don't find parking on this road. Some of them would park their vehicles on small lanes adjacent to D.D. Urs Road choking traffic movement.

A meeting to this effect was convened by Assistant Commissioner of Police (ACP) - Traffic Sandesh Kumar with the representatives of D. Devaraja Urs Road Traders Association at Lokabhirama Mandira auditorium in city yesterday.

(See WHEEL LOCK on page 7)

Civic Amenity sites scam

615 CA sites allotted, 512 misused !

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (RK&SSV)- In the wake of alleged 'misuse' of Civic Amenity (CA) sites in the past, Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) held a consultative meeting with representatives of various organisations to elicit their opinion before starting the allotment process next month.

This interaction was held at Rani Bahadur Auditorium in Manasagangothri this morning in which MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev and Commissioner Dr. D.B. Natesh participated.

Dr. Natesh said in the last 50 years, as many as 625 CA sites had been allotted by MUDA of which 512 sites had been used for different purposes other than what they were specifically allotted for. This had defeated the very purpose of allotment of such sites for the benefit of citizens. When MUDA wanted to take back those sites, some of them moved the Courts questioning it. However, the MUDA will not spare them and will take back possession of those sites at any cost in the coming days, he said.

Rajeev said the MUDA has decided to allot the available 262 CA sites for organisations registered under the Karnataka Co-operative Societies Act, 1959, to know their suggestions before the commencement of process next month.

Ex-Mayor B.L. Bhyrappa appealed to the MUDA to give preference to MCC in the allotment of CA sites as they required space to build public utility structures like waste segregation units, anganwadis and solid waste management plants.

H.S. Prakash of Kumbarara Sangha pointed out that the CA sites allotted in the past had been misused by sub-leasing it which was not permitted under law. A site, which was allotted for construction of a hostel, had been used for other purpose. MUDA must take steps to avoid such instances in future, he said.

S.T. Ravikumar, President, Mysuru District Journalists' Association, appealed to the MUDA to consider them during allotment of CA site as the Association building was located in a congested place. The 85-year-old Association would conduct several programmes for the benefit of scribes every year but the existing building did not have a big auditorium to accommodate all the scribes, he added.

(See SITES on page 7)

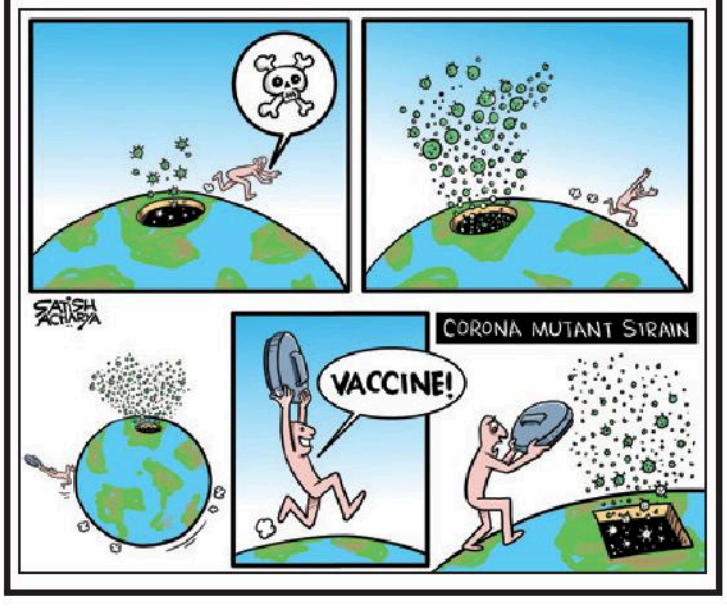
High Court puts brakes on Devaraja Market demolition

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (RK&BCT)- The grand plans of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) to demolish and reconstruct Devaraja Market — more than 125 years old — in city may not be realised in the near future as the Karnataka High Court yesterday restrained the civic body from razing the heritage structure. The Court ordered the State Government and the MCC not to act on the implementation of the Dec.10, 2019 resolution of the Special Heritage Committee that had recommended demolishing and reconstructing of Devaraja Market.

A Division Bench of the Court comprising Chief Justice Abhay Shreeniwas Oka and Justice S. Vishwajith Shetty passed this interim order while hearing a Public Interest Litigation (PIL) filed by Prof. D. Shrijay Devaraj Urs, former Registrar (Evaluation), University of Mysore and three others. The petitioners sought a direction from the Court to protect and preserve the heritage structure.

(See MARKET on page 7)

STAR PUNCH By Satish Acharya



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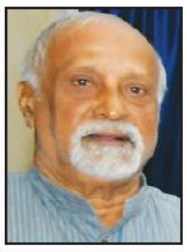
"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Tuesday 22nd December 2020

Book release on Dec. 24

Mysuru, Dec. 22- Anveshana Seva Trust has organised a book release function at Vijnana Bhavan Auditorium in Manasagangothri here on Dec. 24 at 10.30 am. MLC A.H. Vishwanath will be releasing the book titled 'Chutuku Yugacharya' edited by Dr. P.B. Indukala Urs. The book is on the life of Dr. M.G.R. Urs, who is also the Chief Convenor of Chutuku Sahitya Parishat Central Committee.



Dr. M.G.R. Urs

Former Home Minister P.G.R. Sindhia will inaugurate. National Safai Karmacharis Commission Chairman M. Shivanna will preside. Vice-Chancellor of University of Mysore Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar will deliver felicitation address. Former VC Prof. K.S. Rangappa will be conferring Amoghavarsha Award on: Rtd. Dy.SP J.B. Rangaswamy, senior resident doctor of K.R. Hospital Dr. Rakesh Raje Urs, industrialist J.P. Urs, Sandhya Suraksha Trust President B.R. Nataraj Jois, Prof. Chandra Nayak of UoM and Block Education Officer of Kodagu district K.D. Suresh.

Ursu Sangha President H.M.T. Lingaraje Urs and Founding-Secretary of the Trust Amarnath Raje Urs will be chief guests.

Annual General Body Meeting

Mysuru, Dec. 22- The Annual General Body Meeting of **Mysuru and Chamarajanagar District Industrial Supplies and Marketing Co-operative Society** (D.S.M.S,Mysuru), having office in CTI (Chamarajendra Technical Institute) building, Sayyaji Rao Road, will take place at 12.30 pm tomorrow (Dec.23) at the Society office. Due to COVID-19 crisis, the meeting will be virtual and presided over by Society President D. Padmanabha. The members can take part virtually by logging on to *https://meet.google.com/yqb-mwbp-pge*. For more details, call Ph: 0821-2521359.

The AGM of **Honnusiri Multi-purpose Co-operative Society,** having office at Rathna Complex, Buddha Marga, Siddarthanagar, will take place at 10 am on Dec.24 at the office premises. Sri Bodidatta Bantheji will inaugurate the meeting. Society President H.M. Mahadevaprasad will preside. For details, call Mob: 99010-15234.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Out of Control' is what UK authorities are describing the new strain that emerged just few days before this dismal year is about to end. This news is a blow to the morale of thousands of COVID warriors who have been spending sleepless nights for last several months hoping to save lives and reduce the virus spread. It must be a self-appointed responsibility of all citizens to do what is best for all our people especially by thinking about those whose near and dear ones are admitted in hospital. Before violating rules that increase the chance of spread, think about thousands of fellow citizens who may not have been able to see their loved ones even for once after they became a victim of this deadly virus. What a life can be for those whose last breath is so lonely and devoid of the presence of their loved ones. It is time to act not just for you but for the life of several crores of people of our own country. India's population density makes it the most vulnerable place of survival during such health crisis. Remember every individual action if collectively aligned and taken in the right direction can hugely make a difference. It's high time we understand the repercussions of our own actions. Together, we need to win this obnoxious COVID war before it strikes us back again.

— Ruma Batheja in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Ballpoint pen portraits of Oscar Ukonu

Lagos: Wielding a ballpoint pen with precision ans drawing artworks that cannot be distinguished from high-resolution photos, Nigerian artist Oscar Ukonu has gone viral on social media for his portraits drawn using only ballpoint pens.

The self-taught artist started drawing when he was nine-years-old, but only got into hyperrealistic art during his time in architecture school. Up to that point, he had relied on the good old pencil, but the moment he tried the ballpoint pen for the first time in 2014, he knew he had found the perfect tool to take his art to a whole new level.

He has been mesmerising fans of hyperrealistic portraits with his incredible artworks ever since. Okonu describes his creative process as his process as "a practice in time and patience", which makes sense, considering that each and every one of his pieces takes between 200 and 400 hours of work to complete.'

Man wins case against parents for destroying his porn collection

Michigan: A 42-year-old Michigan man, who sued his parents for throwing out his prized pornography collection is now in line to collect a hefty reimbursement from them. In a ruling handed down by US District Judge, the parents will have to pay their son as much as $75,000 for destroying the porn.

The man won a summary judgment in the case and he and his parents have until mid-February to file written submissions on the damages. In his lawsuit the man valued the property at an estimated $25,000, but his attorney said, "we have asked the Court for treble damages, which we believe are warranted given the wanton destruction of the property."

HEALTH CAPSULE

Wax in The Ear Is an Altered Sweat

It is a constant production like anywhere in the body. Its flow is outwards. Trying to clean deep inside or blocking its flow by plugging cotton or earphones leads to impaction. In short, ear is a self-cleaning organ like eyes.

By Dr. Dathathri H. A. - Consultant ENT, Head & Neck Surgeon
Cochlear Implant Surgeon

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COVID-19 UPDATE

Mysuru

Figures as per Government Media Bulletin released last evening

Positive cases yesterday	:	40
Total positive cases	:	51,847
Discharges yesterday	:	53
Total discharges	:	50,426
Deaths yesterday	:	0
Total deaths	:	1,006
Total active cases	:	415

Mandya

Positive cases yesterday	:	24
Total positive cases	:	19,259
Total discharges	:	18,899
Total deaths	:	147
Total active cases	:	213

Chamarajanagar

Positive cases yesterday	:	15
Total positive cases	:	6,670
Total discharges	:	6,426
Total deaths	:	119
Total active cases	:	114

Kodagu

Positive cases yesterday	:	13
Total positive cases	:	5,631
Total discharges	:	5,415
Total deaths	:	70
Total active cases	:	146

Hassan

Positive cases yesterday	:	32
Total positive cases	:	27,762
Total discharges	:	27,114
Total deaths	:	390
Total active cases	:	258

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Santa attends an interview for FBI agent.

Interviewer: *Who killed Abraham Lincoln?*

Santa: *Thanks for giving the job Sir, I would immediately start investigation !!*

Today's Currency Rate

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 73.93
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 99.05
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 20.13
1 Euro	= Rs. 90.36

VOICE OF THE READER

Why was Uttanahalli Road named after H.R. Venkatasubba Rao?

Sir,

It was fascinating to go through Gouri Satya's write-up in *SOM* dated Dec. 20 on **'De Havilland Arch, an Engineering Marvel'** in continuation of Dr. Javeed Nayeem's article. Of course, needless to say both of them have been a source of great information to old-time *SOM* readers like me.

In the article there is a reference to the stairway to Chamundi Hill from Uttanahalli side. This stirred my curiosity on Chamundi Hill Road as the stretch leading to Uttanahalli is named after my maternal grandfather H.R. Venkatasubba Rao *(see picture above)*.

I know practically nothing about him except what my father mentioned about him. He died around the time I was born in January 1932.

He was an Executive Engineer and my father said that he was responsible for supervising the construction of Lalitha Mahal Palace and also golden canopy of Chamaraja Wadiyar statue. He worked under Sir M.Visvesvaraya and was responsible for water supply to Bangalore City (Thippagondanahalli water supply) and other projects.

In fact, a mention has been made about him by DVG in a small book *'Halavu Mahaneeyaru.'* I tried to search in the archives without success. Obviously he must have been a very important person if the Uttanahalli Road is named after him.

May be, Gouri Satya or Raja Chandra may throw some light on this as both of them are very informed as chroniclers of Mysore history.

—H.R. Bapu Satyanarayana
Saraswathipuram
21.12.2020

Dr. Sanjana Kattera is 'Coorg Person of the Year-2020'

A Corona Warrior, she was part of the Oxford COVID-19 vaccine trial team

Mysuru, Dec. 22- Dr. Sanjana Kattera, a Corona Warrior who was part of the Oxford COVID-19 vaccine trial team, is 'Coorg Person of the Year-2020.'

Kodagu-born Dr. Sanjana was also involved in treating COVID-affected children. A passionate Paediatrician, she was part of the vaccine trial team at the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine in the United Kingdom (UK).

Dr. Sanjana was selected 'Coorg Person of the Year' in a poll conducted by *www.coorgtourisminfo.com,* Kodagu's first news portal, promoted by senior journalist P.T. Bopanna.

According to reports, Dr. Sanjana served COVID positive patients selflessly by risking her life, especially when PPE suits were in short supply initially.

Oxford-AstraZeneca's COVID-19 vaccine is considered as one of the most advanced candidates and is close to reporting early results of a late-stage clinical trial. In India, the Oxford vaccine's trials are being carried out by the Serum Institute of India. All hopes of Indians are focussed on the efficacy of the vaccine which is best suited to Indian conditions.

Dr. Sanjana Kattera

The Oxford Vaccine Centre's COVID-19 vaccine trial is being run by the Jenner Institute and Oxford Vaccine Group.

Dr. Sanjana worked with phase I/II of the trial with the age group 18-55 years by initially screening and recruiting patients as part of the eligibility criteria.

The Corona Warrior had a tough competition for the 'Coorg Person of the Year' title from M. A. Ganapathy, IPS, Director-General of the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security (BCAS).

Dr. Sanjana, daughter of Dr. Suresh Kattera and Smitha Suresh, did her schooling in the United World College South East Asia (UWCSEA) in Singapore.

She studied medicine at the University of Edinburgh in the UK. After completing her medicine, she specialised in Paediatrics in one of the top Paediatrics Hospitals in UK, and is currently training in NHS, Liverpool. She will be completing her Membership of the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (MRCPCH) early next year.

Dr. Sanjana's sister Samiksha Kattera is pursuing Law in Durham University, Durham, UK.

Former IPS Officer Annamalai to visit city on Dec.26

Annamalai

Mysuru, Dec.22 (RK&DM)- Former Karnataka cadre IPS Officer Annamalai, who quit Police service and joined the BJP a few months ago, will be visiting the city on Dec.26. Annamalai had served at Chikkamagalur, Bengaluru and other places in his 10-year career as an IPS officer in the State.

Annamalai, who was appointed as Tamil Nadu BJP Vice-President just days after he joined the party, will be in the city to release the Kannada book 'Benkiya Chendu Kuili', written by senior city advocate O. Sham Bhat at a programme organised at Sarada Vilas College Centenary Hall in Krishnamurthypuram at 4.30pm on Dec.26. Former Minister A.Narayanaswamy will preside, while Karnataka Sahitya Academy Chairman Dr. B.V. Vasanthkumar will speak about the book.

Takes over as Chairperson of CII-Young Indians, Mysuru Chapter

Mysuru, Dec. 22 - Nikhil P. Koundinya took over as Chairperson of CII - Young Indians (Yi), Mysuru Chapter while Abhijna Rajiv as its Co-Chair for 2021.

Profile: Nikhil Koundinya completed his B.E in Civil Engineering from National Institute of Engineering, Mysuru and has a PG Diploma in Advanced Construction Management from NICMAR, Pune. He is currently Director - Projects at Pramur Constructions Pvt. Ltd., which is a family run business headed by his father S. Prakash.

Before joining the family business, he worked in Simplex Infrastructures Ltd. as a Sr. Project Engineer in notable real estate projects in Bengaluru. Previously, he served Yi as Co-Chair of Entrepreneurship and Innovation Vertical (2018-19) and Chair of Entrepreneurship (2019-20), while volunteering and aligning with multiple verticals.

Abhijna Rajiv is a Science graduate from Mysore University, PGDMA holder in Advertising Management and Digital Marketing from MICA, Ahmedabad and currently pursuing MBA from Liverpool Business School.

Nikhil Koundinya *Abhijna Rajiv*

She manages her family owned real estate business and is also the Founder of Marketing agency under the name *Manyata Creations.*

Before her entrepreneurial journey started, she worked for Dell India as a Team lead in Computer Sales division and also worked as a coach in HGS.

She has served Yi in 2016 as Chair - Swachh Bharat, 2017 - Chair HNOP, 2019 - Learning vertical, 2020 - Chair Masoom, according to a press release from M. Guruprasad, Executive Member, Yi - Mysuru and Mangaluru Chapters, Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), Mysuru Zone.

Yuva Sourabha

Mysuru, Dec. 22- 'Yuva Sourabha', a Youth Cultural Programme organised by Kannada and Culture Department, will be held at Kiru Rangamandira, Kalamandira premises on Dec. 23 at 11 am where young artistes of Mysuru district will be showcasing their talents, according to a press release.

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1. The applicant above named has made an application before the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission, New Delhi for determination of tariff of **Kudgi STPS Stage-I (3x800 MW)** from 01.04.2019 to 31.03.2024.
2. The beneficiaries of the generating station are:
   i. AP Eastern Power Distribution Company Ltd. (APEPDCL), Corporate Office, P&T Colony, Seethammadhara Visakhapatnam – 530 013 - (AP)
   ii. AP Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd. (APSPDCL), Corporate Office, Back Side Srinivasa Kalyana Mandapam, Tiruchhanur Road, Kesavayana Gunta, Tirupathi – 517 503 (AP)
   iii Telangana State Northern Power Distribution Company Ltd. (TSNPDCL), H.No. 2-5-31/2, Vidyut Bhavan, Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal – 506 001 (AP)
   iv. Telangana State Southern Power Distribution Company Ltd. (TSPDCL), Mint Compound, Corporate Office, Hyderabad (AP) – 500 063
   v Tamil Nadu Generation & Distribution Corporation Ltd (TANGEDCO), (formerly TNEB), 144, Anna Salai, Chennai – 600 002
   vi. Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd. (BESCOM), Krishna Rajendra Circle, Bangalore - 560 009
   vii. Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Ltd. (MESCOM), MESCOM Bhavana, Corporate Office Bajal Kavoor Cross Road, Mangaluru-575004, Karnataka
   viii. CESC (Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corp. Ltd.), Corporate Office, No. 29, Vijayanagar, 2nd Stage, Hinkal, Mysore – 570 017
   ix. Gulbarga Electricity Supply Company Ltd. (GESCOM), Main road, Gulbarga – 585 102, Karnataka
   x Hubli Electricity Supply Company Ltd. (HESCOM), Corporate Office, P.B. Road, Navanagar, Hubli – 580 025
   xi. Kerala State Electricity Board Ltd. (KSEBL), Vaidyuthi Bhavanam, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram 695 004
3. Capacity of the generating station : 2400 MW
4. Approved capital cost of the project (as on 31.03.2018) : Rs. 13546.94 Crores
5. Authority which has approved the Capital Cost : CERC
6. Scheduled date of commercial operation : Not Applicable
7. Actual date of commercial operation of Station : 15.09.2018
8. Capital cost on date of Commercial operation of Station : Rs. 13194.69 Crores
9. Details of tariff.

Particulars	Year-wise tariff sought to be determined					
	2018-19*	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
1. Capacity Charges (Rs. Lakh/year)	291790.53	288542.06	292976.74	284094.35	280950.00	286853.51
2. Energy Charges (Rs./kwh)	3.833	3.861				

*As per petition for truing-up of tariff for 2014-19 period for KUDGI-I filed with CERC.

10. A copy of the application made for determination of tariff is posted on the website of NTPC, namely www.ntpc.co.in under the Tab "Notices".
11. The suggestions and objections, if any, on the proposals for determination of tariff contained in the application be filed by any person, including the beneficiary before the Secretary, Central Electricity Regulatory Commission, 3rd & 4th Floor, Chandertok Building, 36, Janpath, New Delhi 110001, with a copy to the applicant within 30 days of publication of this notice.

Place : New Delhi
Date : 03.07.2020

(Rohit Chhabra)
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NEWS BRIEFS

Farmers Day - 2020 celebrations

Mahila Vishesha (Kannada Monthly), in association with the Dy. Director of Horticulture Department, Mysuru, has organised a programme at Rao Bahadur H.C. Javaraiah auditorium in Curzon Park premiss at 10.15 am tomorrow (Dec. 23). to mark Farmers Day - 2020 celebrations. Senior Assistant Horticulture Director B.N. Suveda will inaugurate the event. Senior Assistant Horticulture Director Y.N. Mamatha Shashidhar will be the chief guest. 'Mahila Vishesha' Editor H.V. Subbarao will be present. Horticulture Dy. Director K. Rudresh will preside.

Scholarship for specialy-abled

The Union Government has invited applications from eligible specially-abled students for availing scholarships under National E-Scholarship Scheme. Interested physically challenged students can apply online via https://scholarships.gov.in before Dec. 31. The scholarships are available for Pre-Matric, Post-Matric and higher classes students. For details, visit the Office of the District Disabled Welfare Officer on Pulikeshi Road, Tilaknagar, Mysuru-1 or call Ph: 0821-2490333.

Power disruption

Owing to emergency maintenance works taken up by CESC at 11 KV Yadavagiri and 11 KV Water Works of 66/11 KV Vijayanagar Power Distribution Centre coming under V.V. Mohalla Sub-Division, power supply will be disrupted in the following areas tomorrow (Dec. 23) from 10 am to 5 pm: Areas surrounding Yadavagiri and Vani Vilas Water Works, according to a press release from V.V. Mohalla Division Executive Engineer (EE) P. Chikkasiddeowda.

KRS Water Level

(Maximum : 124.80 feet)

Today	119.39 ft
Yesterday	119.44 ft
Inflow	2,278 cusecs
Outflow	2,831 cusecs

Kabini Level

(Maximum : 2,284.00 feet)

Today	2,271.05 ft
Inflow	487 cusecs
Outflow	600 cusecs

Harangi Level

(Maximum : 2,859.00 feet)

Today	2,820.19 ft
Inflow	112 cusecs
Outflow	870 cusecs

Frequently Asked Questions on COVID-19 Vaccine

New Delhi, Dec. 22- The Government of India has issued a complete set of answers to all the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on the Coronavirus-driven pandemic and the vaccines that will be administered to fight it keeping in mind the general public as target group:

Is a COVID vaccine scheduled anytime soon ?

Yes, vaccine trials are under different stages of finalisation. Government of India is geared to launch a vaccine for COVID-19 soon. For more information and updates visit *www.mohfw.gov.in*

Will COVID-19 vaccine be given to everyone simultaneously?

Based on the potential availability of vaccines, the Government of India has selected the priority groups who will be vaccinated on priority as they are at higher risk. The first group includes healthcare and frontline workers. The second group to receive COVID-19 vaccine will be persons over 50 years of age and persons under 50 years with comorbid conditions.

Is it mandatory to take the vaccine?

Vaccination for COVID-19 is voluntary. However, it is advisable to receive the complete schedule of COVID-19 vaccine for protecting one-self against this disease and also to limit the spread of this disease to the close contacts including family members, friends, relatives and co-workers.

Will the vaccine be safe as it is being tested & introduced in a short span of time?

Vaccines will be introduced in the country only after the regulatory bodies clear it based on its safety and efficacy.

Can a person presently having COVID-19 (confirmed or suspected) infection be vaccinated?

Person with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 infection may increase the risk of spreading the same to others at vaccination site. For this reason, infected individuals should defer vaccination for 14 days after symptoms resolution.

Is it necessary for a COVID recovered person to take the vaccine?

Yes, it is advisable to receive complete schedule of COVID vaccine irrespective of past history of infection with COVID-19. This will help in developing a strong immune response against the disease.

Out of the multiple vaccines available, how is one or more vaccine chosen for administration?

The safety and efficacy data from clinical trials of vaccine candidates are examined by the drug regulator of our country before granting the licence for the same. Hence, all the COVID-19 vaccines that receive licence will have comparable safety and efficacy. However, it must be ensured that the entire schedule of vaccination is completed by only one type of vaccine as different COVID-19 vaccines are not interchangeable.

Does India have the capacity to store the COVID vaccine at temperature of +2 to +8 degree Celsius and transport them at required temperature?

India runs one of the largest immunisation programme in the world, catering to the vaccination needs of more than 26 million newborns and 29 million pregnant women. The programme mechanisms are being strengthened / geared up to effectively cater to the country's large and diverse population.

Will the vaccine introduced in India be as effective as the ones introduced in other countries?

Yes. The COVID-19 vaccine introduced in India will be as effective as any vaccine developed by other countries. Various phases of vaccine trials are undertaken to ensure its safety and efficacy.

How will I know if I am eligible for vaccination?

In the initial phase, COVID-19 vaccine will be provided to the priority group — Healthcare and Frontline workers.

The 50-plus age group may also begin early based on vaccine availability. The eligible beneficiaries will be informed through their registered mobile number regarding the Health Facility where the vaccination will be provided and the scheduled time for the same. This will be done to avoid any inconvenience in registration and vaccination of beneficiaries.

Can a person get the COVID-19 vaccine without registration with Health Department?

No, registration of beneficiary is mandatory for vaccination for COVID-19. Only after registration the information on the session site to visit and time will be shared with the beneficiary.

What documents are required for registration of eligible beneficiary?

Any of the below mentioned ID with Photo may be produced at the time of registration:

Driving License; Health Insurance Smart Card issued under the scheme of Ministry of Labour; Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA) Job Card; Official identity cards issued to MPs/MLAs/MLCs; PAN Card; Voter ID; Passbooks issued by Bank or Post Office; Passport; Pension Document; Service Identity Card issued to employees by Central or State Government or Public Limited Companies.

Will a Photo ID be required at the time of vaccination?

The Photo ID produced at the time of registration must be produced and verified at the time of vaccination.

If a person is not able to produce Photo ID at the session site, whether she/he be vaccinated or not?

Photo ID is a must for both registration and verification of beneficiary at session site to ensure that the intended person is vaccinated.

How will the beneficiary receive information about due date of vaccination?

Following online registration, beneficiary will receive SMS on their registered mobile number on the due date, place and time of vaccination.

Will vaccinated beneficiaries receive information on the status of their vaccination after completion?

Yes. On getting due dose of COVID-19 vaccine, the beneficiary will receive SMS on their registered mobile number. After all doses of vaccine are administered, a QR code based certificate will also be sent to the registered mobile number of the beneficiary.

If one is taking medicines for illnesses like Cancer, Diabetes, Hypertension etc., can she/he take the COVID- 19 vaccine?

Yes. Persons with one or more of these comorbid conditions are considered high risk category. They need to get COVID -19 vaccination.

Are there any preventive measures and precautions that one needs to follow at the session site?

We request you to rest at the vaccination centre for at least half-an-hour after taking the COVID-19 vaccine. Inform the nearest health authorities or ANM or ASHA in case you feel any discomfort or uneasiness subsequently. Remember to continue following key COVID Appropriate Behaviours like wearing of mask, maintaining hand sanitisation and physical distance (6 feet or *Do Gaj*).

What about the possible side-effects from COVID-19 vaccine?

COVID vaccine will be introduced only when the safety is proven. As is true for other vaccines, the common side-effects in some individuals could be mild fever, pain, etc. at the site of injection. States have been asked to start making arrangements to deal with any COVID-19 vaccine-related side-effects as one of the measures towards safe vaccine delivery among masses.

How many doses of the vaccine would have to be taken by me and at what interval?

Two doses of vaccine, 28 days apart, need to be taken by an individual to complete the vaccination schedule.

When would antibodies develop? After taking first dose, after taking second dose, or much later?

Protective levels of antibodies are generally developed two weeks after receiving the 2nd dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

MCC to launch household survey of school dropouts from tomorrow

Survey to conclude on Feb. 14, 2021

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (PM&DM)- With the Government directing all Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) of the State to carry out a survey of school dropouts in their limits, the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) will be launching an House to House survey in the city from tomorrow (Dec. 23), in association with the Department of Public Instruction.

Ahead of the launch of the survey, the MCC had organised a training workshop for Anganwadi workers at the Town Hall yesterday.

Addressing the workshop, DDPI Dr. Panduranga said that earlier, the Department of Public Instruction alone used to conduct such a survey. However, the survey could not attain the desired results in total and now, with the participation of MCC, it is expected that the survey to identify school dropouts and bring them back to schools, will be a total success.

Noting that the Public Instruction Department usually used to carry out the survey during night time in December as residents of households used to go for work during the day, he said that 56 school dropout children were identified in the district, including 20 in Mysuru city alone last year. Following the survey, the Department ran tent schools for these children. However, the academic activities in these schools were discontinued following the outbreak of the deadly COVID-19 pandemic in March this year, the DDPI said.

MCC Commissioner Gurudatta Hegde, Addl. Commissioner N.M. Shashikumar, Assistant Commissioners of all MCC Zones, Women and Child Welfare Dept. Officer Rajalakshmi and others were present.

The survey will be carried out with the help of a mobile app 'Karnataka H2H Children Survey' app developed by the Centre for e-Governance of Government of Karnataka. The survey, that is aimed at collecting data of children aged between 6 and 14 years, who have dropped out of schools, will go on till Feb. 14, 2021. The data so collected in Mysuru will be collated and posted on the MCC website.

The survey is being held following an order from the Karnataka High Court and the subsequent direction of the State Government. The survey, which was earlier planned from May 1 to 31, had to be postponed following the COVID-19 crisis.

National award conferred

on Sarod Maestro Pt. Rajeev Taranath

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (MK&DM)- Sarod Maestro of the city, Pandit Rajeev Taranath was conferred the prestigious S.V. Narayanarao Memorial National Award at a programme organised at the maestro's residence in Saraswathipuram here yesterday.

The award, given by Bengaluru-based Sriramaseva Mandali Trust, carries a cash prize of Rs. 50,000 and a citation.

Speaking after receiving the award, Pt. Rajeev Taranath said that he has a special bonding with Mysuru, which is a beautiful city and a pleasant place to live.

Recalling his childhood days, Rajeev Taranath said that his mother was a revolutionary woman who wrote a book in English on sex education decades ago.

Noting that his father was a tabla musician, he said that he learnt his early music lessons from his father. But he was not that much interested in pursuing tabla practice and one day he attended a sarod musical concert by Ustad Ali Akbar Khan at Bengaluru's Town Hall, which became a turning point in his life as he developed keen interest in sarod.

Stating that his teacher Ramachandra Shastri had blessed him upon seeing his fondness for playing sarod, Rajeev Taranath said that he attributes his success to the blessings of Shastri and the awards that he has won to Ustad Ali Akbar Khan.

Regretting the sorry state of affairs in the city's KSGH Music and Performing Arts University, he said that although the Music University has been in existence for more than 10 years, it had failed to make any impact in the field of music.

Noting that the University has churned out hundreds of graduates, he said that it seems that none of them have made a mark for themselves. But the University is just getting a whitewash regularly and no musical activities of any significance are going on in the University, he added.

Violinist Mysore Manjunath, in his address, said that music plays a vital role in removing the mask that covers our heart, soul and feelings and as such, music has earned a special place in most of the countries.

Maintaining that all Indian musical forms have gained worldwide appreciation, he asserted that Indian Music is outstanding in all respects.

Pointing out that S.V. Narayanrao Memorial Trust has been rendering yeoman service to music, he said that the conferment of the award on Mysuru-based Sarod Maestro Rajeev Taranath has brought delight to all music lovers of Mysuru. Mysuru is called as the cultural capital of the State because of the achievements of great musicians such as Pandit Rajeev Taranath, he added.

Renowned musician Pt. Indudhar Nirody, Sriramaseva Mandali Trust's Managing Trustee Ramprasad, veteran actor Shivaram, who is also a Trustee, Rajya Sabha MP K.C. Ramamurthy, who is a former IPS Officer, music promoter C.R. Himamshu and others were present during the occasion.

Man commits suicide

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (RK&DM)- Depressed in life, a 32-year-old man ended his life by hanging self from a ceiling fan at his residence late on Sunday night.

M.M. Khader, a resident of Sathagalli Layout in the city, is the deceased.

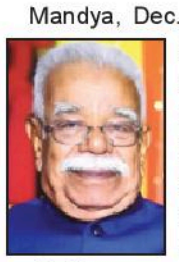
Khader, a native of Kushalnagar in Kodagu district, ran a mobile repair shop and stayed at a house in Sathagalli First Stage.

But Khader, who was reportedly depressed in life, took the extreme step on Sunday night and the incident came to light on Monday morning.

The jurisdictional Udayagiri Police have registered a case in this regard.

Freedom fighter

H.K. Subbanna no more



Subbanna

Mandya, Dec. 22- H.K. Subbanna (86), son of late freedom fighter H.K. Kempanna of S.I. Honnalagere village of Maddur taluk in Mandya district, passed away at his native Honnalagere yesterday following brief illness.

He leaves behind his wife Sundaramma, four daughters, sons-in-law, brother Mahadevu (retd. KSRTC Officer) and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at Honnalagere yesterday.

Former Minister and MLA D.C. Thammanna paid his last respects to the departed soul. Malavalli MLA Dr. Andani, former Zilla Panchayat Member A.T. Ballegowda, leader Chandupura Papanna, National Safai Karmacharis Commission Chairman M. Shivanna, Hagalahalli Prakash, Chandupura Shivalingegowda, Honnalagere Rajendra Prasad and others have condoled his death.

Obituary

Vittala Rao Hanshai

Mysuru, Dec. 22- Vittala Rao Hanshai (86), a resident of St. Mary's Road in N.R. Mohalla, passed away last night.

He leaves behind his wife Saraswathamma, three sons, a daughter and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held this afternoon at N.R. Mohalla burial grounds.

V. Ramachandra Rao

V. Ramachandra Rao (67), a resident of Sathagalli in Mysuru, passed away yesterday morning. A native of Beechanahalli village of H.D. Kote taluk, he leaves behind his wife Sumitrabati, two daughters, brothers and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill yesterday afternoon.

Decline & fall of the Congress. Again

Point of VIEW

T.J.S. George

Kapil Sibal, distinguished legal luminary who is also an ardent Congressman, said recently: "People don't see Congress as an alternative to the existing Government. We lost all by-elections in Gujarat. In some UP Constituencies, Congress candidates got less than 2 percent votes. Three candidates in Gujarat lost their deposits." He must have added more sorrowful tales to his list after last week's local elections in Kerala. The ruling Communist-led coalition reduced the Congress-led group to a poor also-ran.

That the BJP was trampled mercilessly on the tracks was their only consolation. This should be an eye-opener to the Congress leadership because Kerala is the only State where the party has some *locus standi*.

At the national-level, the party has been continuing to give the impression that it has only a part-time leadership. Rahul Gandhi's handling of his role in the party has been eccentric. For all practical purposes, he was the Congress Chief although he resigned the Presidentship in 2019, two years after he was elected. He continued his habit of going on picnic at critical junctures.

Driven to the wall, 23 well-known leaders of the Congress wrote a letter to the High Command seeking a full-time President. What a pathetic situation for the Great Congress to be in. The High Command remained too high to bother. One of the 23 said after the party's dismal performance in the recent Bihar elections: "There was no review of the electoral defeat in 2014, none in 2019 and none after all the other elections we have lost. Why should anything be different this time around?"

Of course, everybody knows that it is the Gandhi family's unquestionable status that keeps the Congress immobile and ineffective. Even the Group of 23, all of them seniors, found it proper to say that they were not questioning the legitimacy of the Gandhi family's right to leadership. What legitimacy? The whole point is that it is the presumed legitimacy of that presumed right that is at the root of the problem. It is that "legitimacy" that makes the Congress a family preservative of the Gandhis and thereby render it unacceptable to the people as an alternative.

Why were the Senior 23 afraid to tell the truth — that pushing the Gandhi family name to gain legitimacy and votes is a bad idea? Why don't they confront the point raised by Kapil Sibal and ask why the Congress is not seen as an alternative Government? If they do, they will see that Sonia Gandhi's political inexperience and Rahul Gandhi's political naivety have something to do with the Congress being not an alternative.

Actually it is Rahul Gandhi who must bear the burden of guilt in this unhappy episode. His name is the problem. People think that a man named Gandhi has responsibilities that others do not have. This is an unfortunate assumption. But it is part of our historical inheritance. That Rahul Gandhi understands the naturalness of the assumption is clear from his continuous presence on the frontline of politics. His tragedy — and India's — is that he is never taken seriously enough. He does not command the weight of Indira Gandhi or even Rajiv Gandhi. That he is seen as a lightweight is bad not just for him. It is bad for India, too.

But he is Gandhi. Gandhis command the Congress. This Gandhi was on picnic when elections were taking place in Gujarat. That did not diminish his status because he was Gandhi. The story of non-Gandhis in the Congress is almost forgotten. Sitaram Kesari, President of the Congress before Sonia Gandhi, was dethroned in a publicly humiliating style as Sonia Gandhi took his place. P.V. Narasimha Rao, another President of the Congress, was pushed out without grace; his dead body was not even allowed inside the party headquarters for people to pay respects.

The Congress led by Jawaharlal Nehru was qualitatively different from the Congress led by his daughter Indira Gandhi. The legitimacy of the Congress as a movement that represented the people of India was lost under Indira. It became, instead, a political party with narrow, personality-based, political objectives in mind. The power of Indira's personality gave it some weight. With that gone, the Congress turned uninspiring, to say the least. Rahul Gandhi's ways are too aberrant to change that reality. Congress suffered also as a consequence of the aggressiveness of the ideologically driven Hindutva lobby. The resoluteness of the BJP made up for the narrowness of its doctrine. Congress was the main sufferer in the process. Unfortunate but true.

No takers for Bamboo Cribs & Stars ahead of Christmas

By Shyam Sundar Vattam

Mysuru, Dec. 22- Biting cold and crib indicate the arrival of Christmas. Celebrating Christmas without the crib is unimaginable. People buy cribs, decorate it and offer prayer on Dec. 24 midnight to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ.

The bamboo weavers of Mysuru begin preparing the bamboo cribs from the first or second week of December in anticipation of good business. Every year, each bamboo weaver would sell around 60-70 cribs and over 100 stars of different sizes during Christmas celebrations. This time, their business has been eclipsed by COVID-19 pandemic. A large number of cribs and stars have remained unsold till today, though only three days are left for the celebration. There are no takers despite offering them at an affordable price.

Over a dozen cribs and stars are kept on footpath at the busy traffic junction of the Government School for Deaf and Dumb near Bamboo Bazaar in city, by four bamboo weavers expecting Christians to buy them. People will just see it from a distance and go away. Lack of demand is attributed to restriction on gathering of more people during Christmas to check spread of pandemic.

"We are ready with cribs and stars but customers are not coming forward. This year, our 'star' is not good due to Corona. What can be done when the whole world is hit by pandemic," bemoans L. Latha, a woman in fifties who has been making cribs and stars for the last 27 years.

Never in the past, they had faced so much difficulty in pushing the sale of cribs and stars like this year. People are not coming forward to buy it despite offering huge discount. This is the only season that they would make little money by making bamboo cribs and stars but this year has proved very bad, said Latha, a resident of Bannimantap, who has married of her daughter with income from this profession, after her husband passed away a few years ago.

"I make many things out of bamboo like *mora* for *bagina,* bamboo mat, crib, star, cradle, flower basket and wall mat. We make bamboo products for birth and death. People come to us for the bamboo cradle for just born babies and bier to carry dead bodies. We celebrate Gowri and Ganesh festival by making *mora* and Christmas by preparing cribs and stars. But the COVID-19 hit our business badly. The closure of Christian educational institutions has hit the sale of stars.

People will buy the cribs or the stars only till Dec. 22 and not after that as they will require two days to decorate it," she noted.

She said, "with one full length (20 feet) of bamboo, they can make at least three cribs of different sizes. Each length would cost Rs. 250. A small sized crib is sold for Rs. 100 to Rs. 150. Large size crib is sold at Rs. 500. This time, there is no demand even for small cribs leave alone the big size due to restriction." Hitherto, they were getting good quality of bamboo from Shivamogga forest and it had stopped five to six years ago. Forest Department was not helping them to get the bamboo from Assam. So, they would bring the bamboo from villages in Holenarasipura taluk of Hassan.

In the last week of December, they were selling around over 100 stars and 20-30 cribs but this time, hardly 10 stars and five cribs have been sold till date. Till last year, Christian families were placing orders in advance for cribs and stars. To meet up with demand, extra labourers were engaged to prepare and deliver it on time. "Now, we have cribs and stars but there are no buyers," she said in a line explaining the current situation.

Devaraja Market demolition

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FLAWED RESOLUTION

The petitioners claimed that Devaraja Market structure had been classified as heritage building in the Master Plan-2031 for Mysuru-Nanjangud Local Planning Area. "The Devaraja Market building was never examined by professionals having necessary technology or expertise in the field and hence the resolution — to demolish for the reason that walls had become weak — was flawed," the petitioners told the Court.

The Court granted relief under the provisions of Zonal Regulations Amendment 2020 formulated under the Karnataka Town and Country Planning Act. Though the Devaraja Market building has been declared as Grade-1 heritage building in the Master Plan-2031 relating to Mysuru-Nanjangud, the Special Heritage Committee had failed to consider various expert opinions stating that the Devaraja Market could be restored, the petitioners contended. They said that the structure has to be protected and conserved and any development plan must be in accordance with the amendment to Zonal Regulations.

HUMAN LIFE IMPORTANT

Reacting to the High Court order, MLA L. Nagendra told *Star of Mysore* that the city is growing in leaps and bounds and there is usually a heavy rush in the Devaraja Market. "A portion of the Market has already collapsed and three to four persons

have died when the Lansdowne Building collapsed years ago. Human life is important and we cannot compromise here. This is the reason why the MCC and all the elected representatives of Mysuru decided to raze the two structures and reconstruct as per heritage guidelines," he said.

Nagendra said that in the coming days an attempt will be made to convince the High Court about the threat to human life and the necessity of reconstructing the Devaraja Market.

Mayor Tasneem pointed out that the two expert committees (Karnataka State Technical Task Force and Heritage Committee) have given contradictory recommendations on the Devaraja Market.

"While the Task Force has recommended rebuilding of the structure, the Heritage Committee has suggested restoration. I will discuss the High Court order in the MCC Advisory Committee meeting today and also take legal opinion on the ways and means to convince the High Court about the necessity of reconstruction," she said.

UNSTABLE SOIL

MCC Commissioner Gurudatta Hegde said that expert committee reports and views of engineers is that Devaraja Market was structurally weak and posed a danger as it would be used by hundreds of people daily and had to be demolished in public interest. Soil samples were taken after digging three trial pits and the analysis says that the structure is weak and has no stability.

"There are many factors here including financial implications of reconstructing the two heritage structures, feasibility of conserving the structures and also the fate of hundreds of vendors who depend on the markets for livelihood. These have to be discussed with the District Minister, MP and MLAs and legal opinions have to be taken before taking the next step," he said.

'Court order not the end, but beginning of a long haul'

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (RK&BCT)- Reacting to the High Court order, one of the petitioners in the Public Interest Litigation (PIL) Raja Chandra, who is the son-in-law of Maharaja Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, told *Star of Mysore* that this is not the end but a beginning of a long struggle to save Devaraja Market, the 'Soul of Mysore.'

"Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) and the political leaders must realise that demolition is not the only solution. The civic body has not done any sincere attempts to restore or at least study the Devaraja Market. What has the MCC dome to maintain the Devaraja Market all these years before one of the portions collapsed? Apart from depending on a committee report that has recommended demolition, the MCC has done nothing," he said.

Honest attempt needed

"We all know that nothing is permanent. At least some attempt has to be made to restore the heritage structure. The Ministers, MPs and MLAs call Mysuru proudly as Heritage City. There are talks to get heritage-related institutions to Mysuru. But what have we done to prove that Mysuru is a Heritage City? Have we made an attempt to save the numerous heritage structures?," he questioned.

Raja Chandra said that the MCC should not look at Devaraja Market as a challenge. It must come up with solutions, budget and more importantly realise that demolition is not the only solution. "There are examples of heritage buildings restored in the city in recent years and they include the Jayalakshmi Vilas Mansion, Dr. S. Radhakrishnan's Bungalow and the Jaganmohan Palace," he pointed out.

"The MCC must realise that if heritage structures are conserved even at a fraction of the cost of demolition and reconstruction, it could serve public purpose for at least another 50 to 75 years. Unfortunately, we have officers and civil engineers who have no knowledge of heritage conservation," he rued.

"Heritage conservation must be a separate entity in the MCC and it must have separate and exclusive budgets. Unless this happens, there is no hope for any heritage structure in Mysuru including the Devaraja Market and Lansdowne Building," he added.

GP polls: Voting held in five taluks of Mysuru district

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (RKB&DM)- Amid the COVID-19 crisis, the voting for the first phase of Gram Panchayat (GP) polls began across the State this morning.

In Mysuru, five taluks of the district — Hunsur, Periyapatna, K.R. Nagar, H.D. Kote and Saragur — went to the polls today, with 7,22,019 voters (3,64,012 men, 3,57,986 women and 21 others) eligible to cast their ballots. There are a total of 148 GPs in the five taluks and polling is being held for 2,174 member seats, for which 6,185 candidates are contesting. While Hunsur has the highest number of 41 GP seats, Saragur has the least with 13 GPs.

Polling, which began on a sedate note at 7 am at most of the 974 booths in the five taluks, later picked up momentum as the day progressed and a majority of booths witnessed long queues of voters lined up at the booths for this village level polls by afternoon. The disabled persons and elderly voters turned up in large numbers at the booths to cast their vote in the polls which is being held using ballot papers.

The authorities had reduced the number of voters in each booth from 1,500 to 1,000 as a precautionary measure and ASHA workers and Health Department officials too were roped in for poll duty this time.

The second phase of polls is scheduled for Dec. 27, during which 102 GPs of three other taluks — Mysuru, T. Narasipur and Nanjangud — will go to the polls.

Counting of votes for both phases will be taken up on Dec.30.

CM rules out night curfew

Bengaluru, Dec. 22 (SSV)- Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa has ruled out imposition of night curfew in the State in the wake of emergence of new COVID-19 strain in United Kingdom (UK) and other countries. Talking to media here this morning, he said the State Government was on alert and urged people not to panic. He said checking at airport had been stepped up and every traveller was checked before exiting from the airport.

615 CA sites allotted

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C. Narayanagowda, President, Mysuru Hotel Owners' Association, said hotel industry has provided employment to over 25,000 persons and they want to have a site where a building could be constructed to impart training in hotel industry.

A representative from Amma Kodava organisation wanted a CA site for the benefit of 250 families settled in city.

C.K. Basappa, an ex-serviceman, also sought allotment of a CA site to train youths interested in joining para-military forces.

MUDA SE Shankar, MUDA Secretary M.K. Savita, Town Planner Member G.S. Jayasimha and members Laxmi and Naveen attended the meeting.

Wheel lock on Urs Road

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ACP Sandesh Kumar informed that they were getting regular complaints from citizens about the shop owners parking their four-wheelers from morning till night because of which the shoppers were denied of parking space. Those who don't find a place for parking would station their vehicles on roads in the surrounding areas causing problems for residents. In the wake of this, the Traffic Police have decided to allow parking of four-wheelers only for four hours and after that the parked cars would be wheel locked and a fine of Rs.1,000 be collected.

The Traffic Cop said no one participated in the tender floated by the MCC for 'Pay and Park' system on this road. Efforts to check long-time parking have failed. In the interest of general public, they have no option except wheel locking four-wheelers for parking for more than 4 hours. "Four hours is enough for parking. Our Constables will note down timing of parking of every car and any vehicle parked for more than four hours will be fined," he said.

However, traders opined that wheel locking of the shoppers' vehicle would inconvenience them and asked the Cops to provide alternative parking spaces in Gaadi Chowka, Town Hall or others places. A few shop owners are old aged and they cannot walk for long distance by parking their vehicles elsewhere.

To which, the ACP said they can allow parking only for 10 persons and not to everyone. Traders can park their vehicles at home and come in some other vehicle or come walking by parking their vehicles elsewhere.

The meeting decided to build pressure on the MCC authorities to speed up the construction of multi-level parking lot inside the Town Hall or at Gaadi Chowka.

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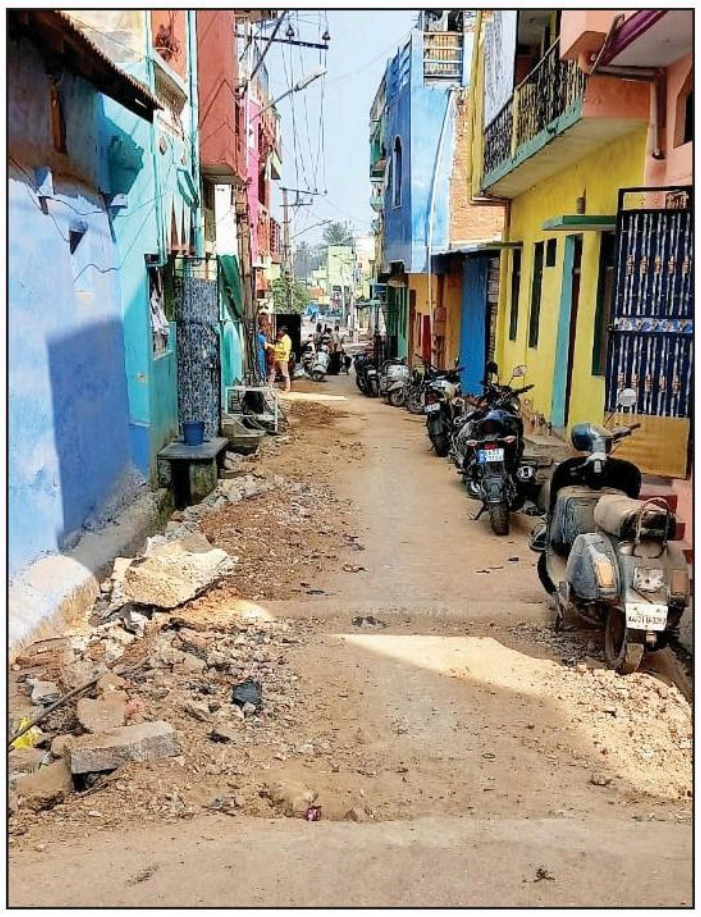
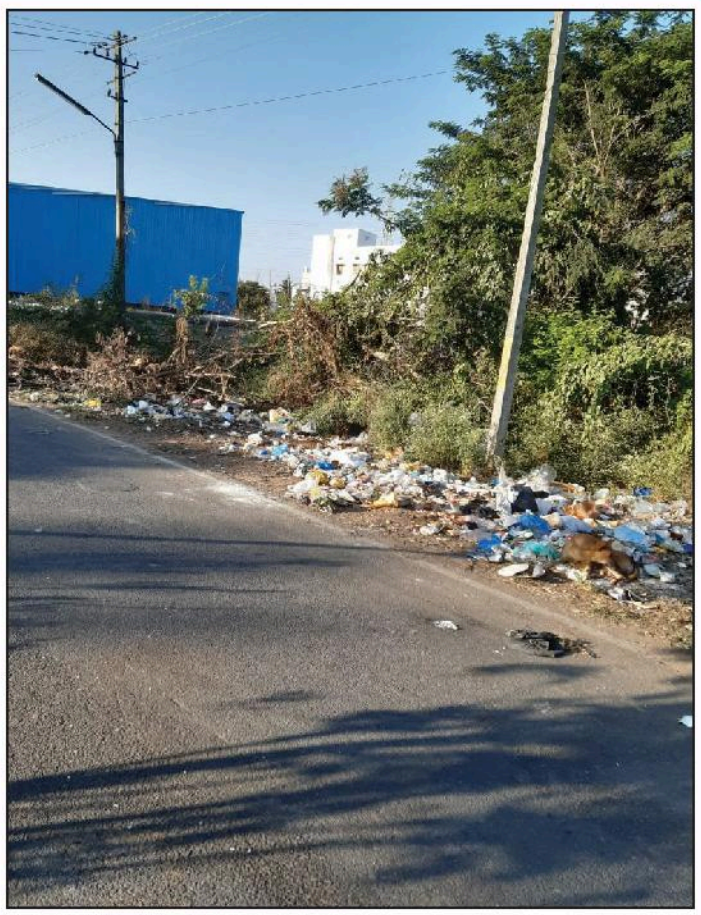
Plea to repair MKDK Road in Mandi Mohalla



The MKDK Road in Mandi Mohalla which was dug up to lay underground power cable about a month back is not asphalted nor the debris removed. This is causing inconvenience to the residents as the debris is not removed and residents are unable to take out their two-wheelers. Residents have urged the authorities concerned to take steps to get the debris removed and asphalt the dug-up portion at the earliest.

Remove and prevent garbage dumping at Hootagalli Circle



Garbage such as empty plastic covers, waste papers, leftover food and household wastes being dumped at Hootagalli Circle near the Badminton Academy is causing a lot of problems to the public as foul smell is emanating from it besides attracting stray animals. Residents have urged the authorities concerned to get the garbage cleared and take steps to prevent garbage dumping in future.

60 percent rise in leopard population: Status report

Karnataka stands second in country

New Delhi, Dec.22 (SSV) - Releasing the status report of leopards, Minister for Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Prakash Javadekar has said that increase in tiger, lion and leopard numbers over the last few years was a testimony to the conservation efforts and of the fledgling wildlife and biodiversity of the country.

He said the nation now has 12,852 leopards as compared to the previous estimate of 7,910 in the survey conducted in 2014. More than 60 per cent of increase in population had been recorded.

The States of Madhya Pradesh, Karnataka and Maharashtra have recorded the highest leopard estimates at 3,421; 1,783 and 1,690 respectively.

"Monitoring of tiger in the country has clearly shown its umbrella role in the ecosystem, which has shed light on other charismatic species like leopard," he said.

The Minister said India's world record tiger survey also estimated the population of leopards and the tiger range was found home to 12,852 (12,172 - 13,535) leopards. They occur in prey rich protected areas as well as multi-use forests. A total of 5,240 adult individual leopards were identified in a total of 51,337 leopard photographs using pattern recognition software. Statistical analysis estimates the leopard population at - 12,800 leopards within the tiger's range.

Highest leopard estimate

Madhya Pradesh - 3,421

Karnataka - 1,783

Maharashtra -1,690

The leopards were estimated across forested habitats in tiger range areas of the country but other leopard occupied areas such as non-forested habitats (coffee and tea plantations and other land uses from where leopards are known to occur), higher elevations in the Himalayas, arid landscapes and majority of North East landscape were not sampled and, therefore, the population estimation should be considered as minimum number of leopards in each of the landscapes, Javadekar said.

Tigers have not only served as an umbrella species but even its monitoring has helped evaluate the status of other species like the leopard. The National Tiger Conservation Authority-Wildlife Institute of India (NTCA-WII) would be reporting on several other species shortly, he noted.

Rotary 3190 and Wildlife Conservation Foundation to construct toilets at Mangala village

Mysuru, Dec. 22 (KS) - Rotary 3190, Bengaluru and Wildlife Conservation Foundation (WCF), Mysuru, will construct 100 toilets in villages on the fringes of Bandipur Tiger Reserve and in the first phase, 25 toilets will be constructed at Mangala village. The construction of toilets was launched at Mangala village recently.

Speaking on the occasion, Nagendra Prasad and B.R. Sridhar of Rotary 3190 briefed about the intensity of the requirement of toilets especially in the fringe villages of Bandipur.

Daniel Sukumar Das and Sagaravaghan, Directors of WCF spoke on how this initiative would help contain wildlife conflict and bring a change in the motives of people who have been attacked by leopards and tigers while answering nature's call. They said that a wild animal gets confused on seeing a human squatting on the ground and assuming the human to be a prey like a deer or smaller mammals, tend to attack the humans. This attracts conflicts between man and animal and a permanent solution to it was to build a toilet in their own house, they added.

They said that the primary intention of containing wildlife conflict is in the interest of saving wildlife species by making stakeholders themselves participate in the process and by directly helping them to build their revenue using their own resource and percolating the same to save wildlife.

They further said that they would help villagers by providing community based solar fence, which would create a win-win situation for both people and wildlife and establish a community of environment conscious citizens. Constructing predator-free cattle sheds will help contain conflict with big cats that stray outside the forest and become enemies. Revenge killing finds its way resulting in loss of tigers and leopards for this.

Pointing out that open field defecation is unhygienic and also dangerous in high pressure conflict areas where incidents of tiger and leopards killing people are on the rise, they said that by providing proper toilets such man-animal conflicts can be prevented

Rajkumar Devaraje Urs of WCF, Panchayat Development Officer (PDO) Ravi, Range Forest Officer (RFO) Srinivas of Kundagere Range in Bandipur Tiger Reserve were present.

Rules Changing

from Jan. 1, 2021: All you need to know

From Jan.1, 2021, many rules are going to change, that includes implementation of Positive Pay system to curb cheque frauds, mandatory FASTags for all four-wheelers across India and new mode of GST return filing facility for small businesses. So, before the new rules roll out, here is a lowdown on the new rules / systems:

FASTag mandatory for all 4-wheelers

The Union Ministry of Road Transport and Highways has issued a notification making a FASTag mandatory for all four-wheel vehicles from January 1, 2021. FASTag will be compulsory for four-wheelers or M&N category of vehicles that were sold before Dec., 2017. *(Category M: Vehicles carrying passengers. Category N: vehicles carrying goods.)* For this, the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989 were amended. Fitness Certificate (FC) will be renewed only if the vehicle has FASTag.

MUST FOR INSURANCE

FASTag is mandatory while getting a new 3rd Party Insurance through an amendment in FORM 51 (certificate of insurance), wherein the details of FASTag ID shall be captured. This shall be applicable from April 1, 2021.

Positive Pay system for cheques

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has decided to introduce the Positive Pay system for cheques from Jan. 1 2021. Under the new rule re-confirmation of key details may be needed for payments beyond Rs. 50,000.

FOR CHEQUE SAFETY

The concept of Positive Pay involves a process of reconfirming key details of large-value cheques. Under this process, the issuer of the cheque submits electronically, through channels like SMS, mobile app, Internet banking and ATM, certain minimum details of that cheque (like date, name of the beneficiary, or payee and amount) to the drawee bank, details of which are cross-checked with the presented cheque by Cheque Truncation System (CTS).

Contactless card transaction limit increased

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has enhanced limits for contactless card payments from Rs. 2,000 to Rs. 5,000. This will be effective from Jan.1 2021 and will be at the discretion of the user. The same has been done for e-mandates for recurring transactions through cards and the Unified Payment Interface (UPI).

NO NEED OF PIN

Contactless card transactions and e-mandates on cards (and UPI) for recurring transactions have enhanced customer convenience, in general, while benefiting from increased use of technology. These are also well-suited to make payments in a safe and secure manner. Contactless card payments are done without punching in the PIN, which makes it a safe mode of transaction in the current circumstances.

Quarterly GST return filing facility

Starting January 2021, 92 percent of taxpayers under the Goods and Services Tax (GST) regime with an annual turnover of up to Rs. 5 crore can opt to file their returns once a quarter instead of the present monthly system. As many as 94 lakh registered GST taxpayers can opt in for the new Quarterly filing of Return with Monthly Payment (QRMP) Scheme, under which GSTR-3B returns can be filed just once a quarter.

TO CHECK FRAUDS

The scheme provides flexibility to small and medium enterprises in GST compliance norms. While the move is expected to ease the compliance burden on indirect taxes for businesses, the Centre is also hoping to plug leakages and frauds by tightening the grant of input tax credits.

WhatsApp to stop working on select phones

WhatsApp will withdraw support from some platforms from Jan. 1. There are several Android and iOS phones that may not be able to run the app as the company will withdraw support for older versions of OS (Operating System).

WhatsApp will only be compatible with phones running Android 4.0.3 operating system or newer as well as iPhones running on iOS 9 and newer. For Android phones, models including HTC Desire, LG Optimus Black, Motorola Droid Razr or even the Samsung Galaxy S2 will no longer be able to have WhatsApp.

WATCH OUT FOR THESE MODELS

For iPhones, iPhone 4 and earlier models will not support WhatsApp soon. Models 4S, 5, 5S, 5C, 6 and 6S will need to update their operating system to iOS 9 or later to continue using WhatsApp. In case of the 6S, 6S Plus and the first generation iPhone SE, they are the last to support the latest version of the newly released iOS 14. The app will run for select phones with KaiOS 2.5.1 OS or newer, including JioPhone and JioPhone 2.

What is your current OS version?

In order to find out your current operating system for phone, iPhone users can go to Settings > General >About, to find out the iOS version. For Android users, you can go to Settings and then on About Phone (which is probably at the end of the section) to see which Android version your smartphone is running on.

Dial '0' before making landline to mobile calls

All landline users will have to dial '0' before making calls to mobile phone numbers. All telecom providers have been intimated of this change and are given the deadline of Jan. 1 to take all the necessary steps.

NO CHANGE IN MOBILE TO FIXED

There will be no change in dialling plan from fixed to fixed, mobile to fixed and mobile to mobile calls. All fixed line subscribers will be provided with '0' dialling facility and that it expects to generate a total of approximately 2,539 million numbering series. This will free up sufficient numbering resources for future use. The freeing up of sufficient numbering resources will add more number of connections in the future and be beneficial to the mobile customers at large.

Companies set to hike car, two-wheeler prices

Automakers are preparing to enter 2021 with a revised price list. India's biggest car maker Maruti Suzuki will increase prices of its models starting Jan. 1. The hike shall be more substantial in the light of pandemic. MG Motor has announced that it will be increasing the prices of its offerings in India. The company has claimed that they will be increasing the cost by up to three per cent in order to counter the impact of higher input cost. Hyundai stated that its entire range will go through the price revision due to rise in input and material costs.

HIGHER INPUT COST

Kia will hike prices for the Seltos and Sonet model and this "upward price correction" has been conveyed to its dealers. Renault India is the latest automobile manufacturer which has announced that it will be increasing the prices of all its cars in India. The company confirmed that car prices will be increased by up to Rs. 28,000 from January. Two-wheeler company Hero MotoCorp also announced that it will increase the prices of its vehicles by up to Rs. 1,500 from Jan. 1, 2021 to offset the impact of rising input costs.

WORD OF THE DAY

Idiopathic

Pronunciation: id-ee-uh-PATH-ik.
Meaning: Arising spontaneously or from an obscure or unknown cause : primary; peculiar to the individual.
Origin: Idiopathic joins the combining form idio- (from Greek idios, meaning "one's own" or "private") with -pathic, a form that suggests the effects of disease. The combining form idio- is typically found in technical terms. Examples include idiographic, meaning "relating to or dealing with something concrete, individual, or unique"; idiolect, meaning "the language or speech pattern of one individual at a particular period of life"; and idiotype, meaning "the molecular structure and conformation of an antibody that confers its antigenic specificity." A more common idio- word is idiosyncrasy, which most commonly refers to an unusual way in which a person behaves or thinks, or to an unusual part or feature of something.
Example: "There are a number of reports of individuals who have developed an idiopathic (unexplained) inability to sweat during military and extreme training." — Adam Taylor, The Independent (UK), 19 Nov. 2019.

THE ODD WORD

Iconomania

Obsession with icons or portraits.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Hold your horses

Meaning: When someone says hold your horses, it's a way of telling a person to wait, hold on, or stop.

Origin: It may have originated from a time where horse transportation was more common. Perhaps people looking for a ride on a horse or horse-drawn vehicle would tell the rider to literally hold their horses. Something like: "Whoa, hold your horses for a minute and let me get on." However, a more plausible explanation has been brought to my attention.
This phrase's origin might actually be from the Erie Canal located in New York. This canal was completed in 1825 and it was used to transport heavy goods from Albany to Buffalo. Cargo ready for transportation were loaded onto barges and then, using a towline, teams of horses would pull these barges through the canal. Were the horses swimming during all this? No, of course not! The horses walked down a towpath that was on the side the canal.
With multiple teams walking down a single towpath, there was potential for complications to arise. For example, if one team of horses got too close to another team, something problematic might happen with the towlines. Thus, to avoid issues like this, drivers might have called out "hold your horses" to the other drivers whenever it was necessary. Having said that, the Erie Canal was finished in 1825 and the earliest quote I could find of this expression was in 1842. So it's possible that the phrase got its start from there.

QUOTE BOX

When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot in it and hang on.

—Franklin D. Roosevelt

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

Answer: Last but not least.

SUDOKU

1		2				4		6
	4						3	
	8		1		4		7	
			2		1			
	3	7		9		6	1	
			6		5			
	7		3		9		5	
	5						6	
4		8				1		3

Answer to previous puzzle

7	3	9	2	1	4	6	8	5
2	4	1	5	6	8	7	3	9
6	8	5	3	7	9	2	4	1
5	9	2	4	8	7	1	6	3
3	6	8	9	2	1	5	7	4
4	1	7	6	5	3	8	9	2
9	2	6	7	4	5	3	1	8
8	7	4	1	3	2	9	5	6
1	5	3	8	9	6	4	2	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Foam or froth
5 Placed a bet
10 The principal island of the British Virgin Islands
13 Adult insect
14 Complying with
15 Famous Russian river
16 Lack of prejudice
18 Vast expanse of water
19 Female ruff
20 Famous French Marquis, "ades" anagram?
24 "Itis" contracted for the poets?
27 Drub
29 Three-legged stand used in laboratories
32 Genesis or lineage
33 Temporary camp
35 French season
36 Mimicked, copied or imitated
37 Karl Marx's ___ Kapital
39 Chemist's workroom in short
42 Progressive rock group ___ Tree
45 Laila's counterpart
49 Australian scented shrub
50 Many links
51 Trials or travails
52 Gold measure
53 Gender abbr.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

		A	M	S			S	H	E				
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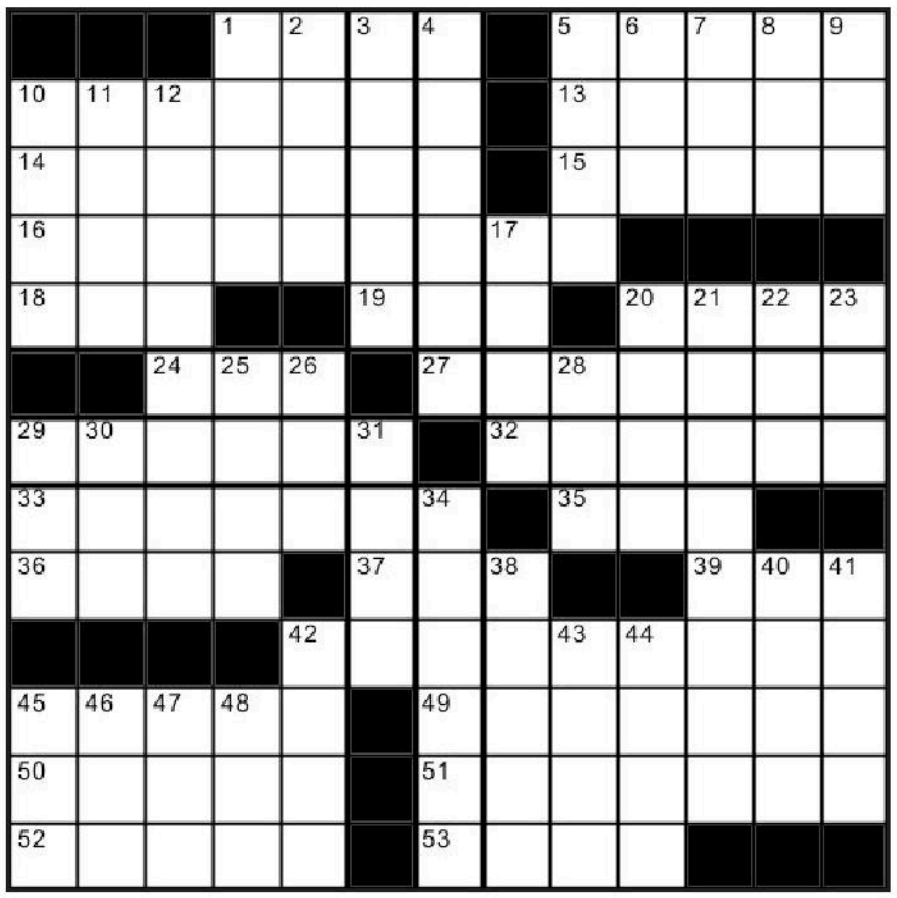
		A	D	E			G	E	L				

DOWN
1 Inflammation which can impair vision
2 Fibre obtained from coconut husks
3 Relating to a forearm bone
4 Iron-attracting material
5 ___ effect to : make operative?
6 Assoc. Med. Off.
7 ___ de mer or seasickness?
8 Poultry farm product
9 1988 Dennis Quaid remake
10 Infants or children
11 A wood-wind instrument
12 Family member
17 Atlantic fish
20 Enhance the appearance of
21 Ms Jolie of Hollywood
22 601 in Roman numerals
23 Even, contracted by a poet ?
25 Apple's music player
26 Former coin of France
28 Mine material
29 TV listing abbreviation
30 Cut wood along the grain
31 Pedestal part
34 Non-metallic element
38 Twenty
40 Mr. Kapoor of "Beta" fame
41 "Base" anagram for an Indian river?
42 Football kick
43 Language similar to Hindi
44 His literary work is not prosaic?
45 Roman 1200
46 A cry of joy, it's said
47 Sound discordantly
48 Actress ___ Peeples



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

FGJGJOGF DPUD PUQQKXGMM KM U VUI RY

DFUTGC - XRD U EGMDKXUDKRX

TODAY'S CLUE: Q EQUALS P

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: You know you're getting old when you stoop to tie your shoelaces and wonder what else you could do while you're down there.

Online World Cadets & Youth Rapid Meet

Nihal Sarin, Gukesh advance to semifinals

Nihal Sarin

D. Gukesh

New Delhi, Dec. 22- Four Indians, including Grand Masters (GMs), Nihal Sarin and D. Gukesh, advanced to the semifinals of the FIDE Online World Cadets and Youth Rapid Chess Championships in their respective categories yesterday.

Only four of the 12 Indian players who made the quarterfinals stage in various categories managed to reach the last four.

The highly-rated Sarin (Elo rating 2620) was in impressive form as he beat Justin Wang (USA) 1.5-0.5 in the last eight clash of the Open U-18 section.

In the U-14 section, Gukesh eliminated compatriot V. Pravav 2-1 via the Armageddon (sudden death tie-break).

He won the first game and lost the second before pipping Pranav to book a semifinal spot.

The two other Indians to book berths in the last four were Rakshitta Ravi (Girls U-16) and Mrinmoy Rajkhowa (Open U-10).

Rakshitta got the better of Ineymig Hernandez Gil of Cuba 2-1 while Mrinmoy made short work of America's Ryo Chen 2-0.

Games are played in best of two Rapid 15 mins + 10 seconds increment in the tournament where a 1-1 tie will result in the Armageddon.

Medal winners in District Inter-Club Kick-boxing Championship 2020

The fighters of Elite Academy, Mysuru, won a total of 37 medals in different categories of the Mysuru District Inter-Club Kick-boxing Championship 2020-2021 (Cadet, Junior and Senior) organised by Elite Academy and Mysore District Kick-boxing Association at the Academy premises in Rajivnagar 2nd Stage in city recently. The event was sponsored by Xspeed and Nimish Sports. The Academy also won the Rolling Trophy in Championship which saw more than 100 kick-boxers in action in various events like Point Fighting, Kick Light, Light Contact, Full Contact, Low Kick, K1 and Musical Forms. All the Fighters were trained by Mohamed Farjath Iyaz, Chief Instructor and Founder of Elite Academy. Iyaz, Organising Secretary of Karnataka Kick-boxing Association, is also WAKO Asian Medallist and Asian Kick-boxing Referee / Judge. The medal-winning fighters — (from left - back row) Md. Arfath Shariff, Syed Yaseen, Md. Zaid, Md. Ameen, S. Sadiq, Mueez Ahmed, Usman Khan, Moinuddin and Md. Usman; (middle row) Suhan Khan, Manha Mehvish, Bi Bi Fathima, Sanfiya Mahek, Nooruddin, Furkhan Shariff and Nihal Baba; (kneeling) Md. Maaz, Tabreez Pasha Qureshi, Rabiya Bi, Md. S. Arhaan and Md. Haris — are seen with Chief Instructor Mohammed Farjath Iyaz.

EVENTS TOMORROW (DEC. 23)

- **Gruha Shobhe:** International Living Style Exhibition, special attraction - Ayodhya Ram Mandir, Dasara Exhibition Ground, **10 am to 9 pm.**
- **K.K. Hebbar Art Foundation:** Airing of radio serial titled 'Kala Tapaswi K.K. Hebbar' produced by K.K. Hebbar Art Foundation on FM Rainbow 101.3Mhz and All India Radio (AIR), **2.02 pm to 2.07 pm.** [Mob: 98452-44756]
- **Mahila Vishesha (Kannada Monthly) and Dy. Director of Horticulture Department, Mysuru:** Farmers Day - 2020 celebrations, Senior Assistant Horticulture Director B.N. Suveda inaugurates, Senior Assistant Horticulture Director Y.N. Mamatha Shashidhar chief guest, 'Mahila Vishesha' Editor H.V. Subbarao will be present, Horticulture Dy. Director K. Rudresh presides, Rao Bahadur H.C. Javaraiah auditorium, Curzon Park, **10.15 am.**

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	(S-3)	1.30 pm
	(S-4)	6.55 pm, 9.55 pm
Tanikhe (K)	(S-2)	7.20 pm
RH 100 (K)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Act-1978 (K)	(S-3)	11.00 am, 4.30 pm
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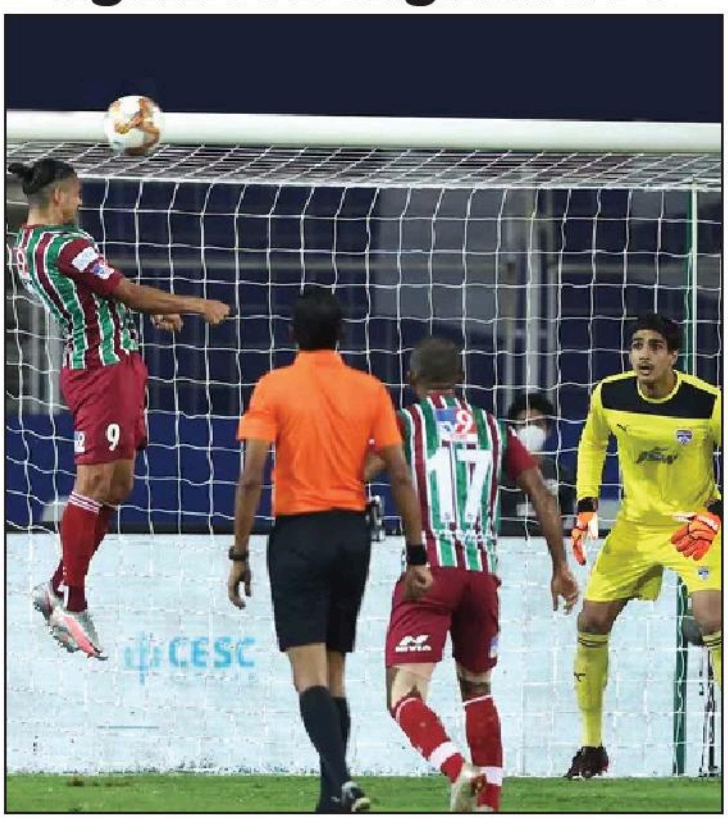
Tenet (E)	(S-2)	11.30 am, 3.00 pm
		6.30 pm, 9.55 pm
	(S-3)	9.10 pm
Act-1978 (K)	(S-3)	12.15 pm
Nanonthara (K)	(S-1)	6.45 pm
RH 100 (K)	(S-3)	3.20 pm
Kiladigalu (K)	(S-1)	12.45 pm
Tanikhe (K)	(S-3)	6.10 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here. **The other multiplexes and single screen theatres are yet to open.**

Hero Indian Super League 2020-21

David Williams' goal guides ATKMB to victory against Bengaluru FC



David Williams (ATKMB) in action during the Hero ISL 2020-21 match against Bengaluru FC at Fatorda Stadium in Margao yesterday.

Margao, Dec. 22- ATK Mohun Bagan (ATKMB) ended Bengaluru FC's unbeaten start to Hero Indian Super League (Hero ISL) 2020-21 after a 1-0 win over the Blues at the Fatorda Stadium here yesterday.

David Williams scored the only goal of the match in the first half as the Kolkata giants moved level on points with table-topping Mumbai City FC in the standings.

David Williams produced a superb performance for ATKMB and netted his first goal for the club during the win over Bengaluru. The Australian attacker netted an exquisite goal, and on another night could have scored more than just once. He also contributed defensively with two successful tackles and two blocks.

Hero of the Match: David Williams (ATKMB); **DHL Winning Pass of the Match:** Carl McHugh (ATKMB).

Hero Indian Super League

Today's Match (Dec. 22)

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Tomorrow's Match (Dec. 23)

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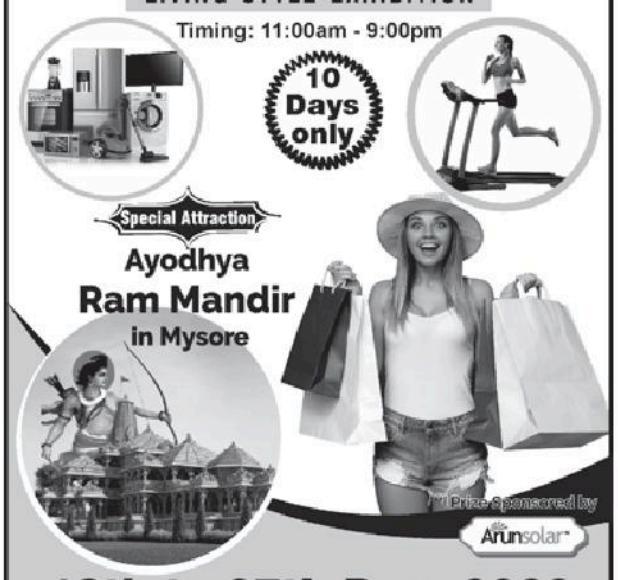

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